<<Novice licensee John S. Rippey, W3ULS, has petitioned the FCC to expand HF phone and CW privileges for Novice operators. The FCC has designated the petition, submitted in December, as RM-10354.>>

Even though Mr. Rippey held a General ticket in the 1950s and 1960s and obtained his former call sign after re-licensing as a Novice in 1999, is no reason to consider this petition by Mr. Rippey.

Let Mr. Rippey, W3ULS, take the upgrade license exams for higher band privileges he seeks! There need not be "special" considerations for lower class licenses to gain expanded privileges at every "whim" for filing petitions of "NONSENSE" which wastes FCC time!

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